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SUBJECT

Rewards for the rescue of Air force flying personnel force landed or Shot down on land, river or Sea, & for the Salvaging of Service equipment.

T.A. Krishnan.
30.4.44.

2553/W Rewards for the rescue of Air force flying personnel & for the Salvaging of service equipment

3. Letter No. RF. 184-42/Pol & 24.4.44 from the Secy to the Hon'ble the Resident, fdng a copy of a corrigendum issued from the War Deptt (Air Branch) of the Govt of India, on the above Subject.

Subd for perusal with a draft to the I. G. P. & D. Ms in continuation of the previous letter.

Sra 25/4/44. Sec.

Issued No. W 2519-28 d 26th April to the I.G.P. & D.M.S in continuation.

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No.RF.184-42/Pol.,

From The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

To The Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated Bangalore, the 24th April 1944.

Rewards for the rescue of Air Force flying personnel and for the salvaging of service equipment.

In continuation of letter from this Residency No. RF.184-42/Pol., dated the 27th November 1943, I am directed to forward a copy of a corrigendum from the Government of India, War Department (Air Branch) No.3112/150/GRP/A.F., dated the 7th April 1944.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

SECRETARY TO THE RESIDENT.

BJ

Regr.No.4159-W.4(b). No.3112/150/GRP/A.F.
Government of India, War Department (Air Branch)
New Delhi, the 7th April 1944.

CORRIGENDUM.

The following amendments are made to this Department letter [illegible] 2/Air, dated the 10th November 1943, regarding rewards for the rescue of Air Force flying personnel force-landed or shot down on land, river or sea and for the salvaging of service equipment:-

(i) Delete the words "through the local civil authorities" occurring in line 1 of paragraph 2.

(ii) Insert the following as paragraph 4 and renumber existing paragraphs 4 and 5 as paragraphs 5 and 6:-

"4.(a) District Magistrates, (and Political Officers in Indian States) are empowered to make payments within the scale specified in paragraph 2 above without prior reference to the Air Force authorities but after payment they will notify the Group Headquarters concerned through the nearest Air Force ~~xxxx~~ unit in order that re-imbursement of the sums paid may be effected. The notification will be supported by receipts in original, statements giving full details of the circumstances of the payments and the full names and addresses of the payees. These documents will be used to support the payment from the Public Funds Account to the District Magistrate or Political Officer.

(b) the Air Commander-in-Chief, South East Asia Command, Air Officers Commanding, Tactical Air Force and Groups may where it is more convenient, pay these rewards direct, in consultation with the District Magistrate or Political officer. The payment from the Public Fund Account will be supported as in (a), above and in addition by a copy of the authorising officer's approval for payment.

(c)

(c) At the end of the each financial year H.Q. Eastern Tactical Air Force and all Groups will render to Air Headquarters, India, a statement giving the following particulars:-

(i) A list of payments made by the District Magistrates/ Political Officers.
(ii) Brief particulars and reasons for each payment.
(iii) Full name and address of each payee.
(iv) Total amount paid under the authority of this letter."

Sd. G.R.Bowler,
Wing Commander,
nder Secretary to the Government of
India.

Appendix F. G.—1]

SUBJECT Rewards for the rescue of Air Force flying personnel & for the salvaging of Service equipment.

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To

The I. G. P.

" D. Ms of Dists.

Date of issue 26th April 44

Signed by W. S. K. V. "Q"

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No. W 1280-89 dt. 12.4.43 on the above Subject, I am directed to forward for information & necessary action a copy of a corrigendum from the Govt of India, War Deptt (Air Branch) No. 3112/150/GRB/I.F., dt. 4.4.44.

I have etc.,

for

Chief Secy to Govt

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